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COMMENTS ON STATEMENT OF REASONS FOR ALLOWANCE  
UNDER 37 C.F.R. 104(e)

Responsive to the Notice of Allowance and Fee(s) Due mailed on November 25, 2009, while Applicant believes that each of claims 10-18 is allowable over the prior art of record based on their respective features, Applicant does not acquiesce that patentability resides in each feature, exactly as expressed in each of the claims or exactly as expressed in the Statement of Reasons for Allowance, nor that each feature is required for patentability.

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